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LOCAL BRIEFS.

The ladies of the Presbyterian congregation are arranging to give an Art display at an early day for the benefit of their organ fund. The display promises to be quite an elaborate affair.

Mr. A. L. Walters is having improvements made to his grocery store, which will greatly improve the appearance of his splendid piece of property on the corner of East Centre and Spruce streets.

PEOPLE from the LaGrange section speak of the new railroad project in a sort of suspicious manner. They have heard about this Snow Hill railroad business several years ago and the only surprise in store for them now is the railroad itself.

The old operatives at the Wayne Cotton Mill, who have held positions under former management, do not seem to be in favor with Mr. Biggs, the new foreman, and he is importing labor from his old home at Fayetteville, while the Goldsboro people have to look for employment elsewhere.

As a painter artist in his special line of work we doubt if the State has an equal to Mr. Richard Brown, of this city. He paints buggies, and under his deft brush and artistic skill an old buggy can be made to look as new, and better than many of the new ones that come in here by the car load from the west. Mr. Brown has his repair shop on John street, on the corner opposite Mr. J. T. Ginn's store, and in addition to his superior work his charges are extremely moderate—\$5 cash.

The complement of public-spirited young ladies of our city who are rehearsing for an entertainment for the benefit of the Firemen's fund have in store for our people one of the most delightful plays it has ever been their pleasure to witness. Every character in the play—"The Chaperone"—is full of interest and is admirably represented by home talent. The young ladies have settled upon November 16th as the date on which they will give the play before the public in the Messenger Opera House, and aside from the excellent merit of the entertainment itself, the cause for which it is to be given should occasion the opera house to be crowded to standing room.

It is the opinion of an old cotton buyer on this market that cotton will go as low as 41 cents before the bottom is reached. The low grades are selling at that price, but he is expecting the best grade to reach those figures and the inferior grades to reach a correspondingly low figure. He bases his conclusion from an experience of 37 years as a buyer and says the planters need not expect any rise in price until about the 1st of March, and then it will not go higher than 6 cents. This prophecy is not very encouraging to the farmers, and while it may not be true as a whole, still the indications now are in his favor and without a great change in the tone of the market his direful prophecy will come to pass.

The Maryland Democrats received a severe body blow when Mr. Wellington predicted their success.

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In all the world there is no other treatment so pure, so sweet, so safe, so speedy, for preventing, purifying, and beautifying the skin, scalp, and hair, and eradicating every humor, as warm lotions with CUTICURA's soap, and gentle anodyne with CUTICURA ointment, the great skin cure.

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EVERY HUMOR

HOLLOWELL TOMLINSON.

Mr. W. R. Hollowell Weds Mrs. Sue Vall Tomlinson, of Archdale, N. C.

Daily Argus, Nov. 4.
This morning at 9:30 o'clock, at the home of the bride in Archdale, N. C., Mr. W. R. Hollowell, a prominent citizen of our town, and Mrs. Sue V. Tomlinson were quietly married in the presence of a few friends, and will arrive on the train from the west at 5:20 this afternoon.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. Tom Vall, of Charlotte, N. C., who was formerly a resident of Wayne county, and she has a host of friends down here who will join in wishing her long years of happiness in her return to her native county.

Mrs. Tomlinson has long been prominent in church and W. C. T. U. circles. For a number of years she has been State organizer for the W. C. T. U., and a national organizer, as well. For the past three years she has spent a greater part of her time in the national field, organizing in Louisiana and Mississippi, and was invited to give the response to the address of welcome at the National W. C. T. U. convention which has just closed in Buffalo, N. Y., but declined for obvious reasons.

In the western part of North Carolina she was the pioneer of the W. C. T. U. and the growth of that organization in the State has been largely due to her efforts. She works in every department and the editors of the State have had the pleasure of listening to Mrs. Tomlinson on two or three occasions before the State Press Association.

We gladly welcome Mrs. Hollowell to our town and congratulate the groom on having won her for his bride.

Without A Rival.

As a positive cure for sprains, bruises, and pains of all kinds, Salvation Oil has no equal. Mrs. Frank Jull, 518 Gratiot Ave., Detroit, Mich., writes: "I used Salvation Oil in my family and can say it has no rival as a liniment; it certainly cures pains. I sprained my ankle and it cured me and since then I have always used it for any pains and aches." Salvation Oil is sold for only 25 cents. No other remedy will do the work as promptly.

President McKinley has the satisfaction of having voted for the winning ticket.

Everybody Says So.

Cascarets Candy Cathartic, the most wonderful medical discovery of the age, pleasant and refreshing to the taste, act gently and positively on kidneys, liver and bowels, cleansing the entire system, dispel colds, cure headache, fever, habitual constipation and biliousness. Please buy and try a box of C. C. C. 10-day; 10, 25, 50 cents. Sold and guaranteed to cure by all druggists.

Not Even "Reform" Cuba?

Madrid, Nov. 5.—The cabinet has agreed upon the text of a short note to the United States in response to the latter's acknowledgment of Spain's reply to the American note tendering the good offices of the United States in the Cuban trouble.

It is said that this is necessary because, although Spain did not promise in express terms to grant autonomy to the Cubans, Gen. Woodford, the American Minister, assumed that such a promise was involved in Spain's reply.

In the new despatch the Government will declare in moderate language that Spain will do what she may deem advisable about granting autonomy.

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That Kentucky person who didn't believe in a personal devil may conclude to revise his opinion after the surgeons relieve his anatomy of its surplus lead.

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the desire to secure more profit. The dealer or clerk who does this cares nothing for your welfare. He simply wants your money. Do not permit yourself to be deceived. Insist upon having

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And only Hood's. It is the One True Blood Purifier.
Hood's Pills easy to buy, easy to take, easy to operate. 25c.

Steamers to the Klondyke.

Philadelphia, Nov. 5.—The first line of first-class steamships to the Klondyke has been organized in this city, with Charles H. Cramp, of the shipbuilding firm of that name, as president. There will be five vessels in all, and the first will start in April next, clearing from New York or Philadelphia, and stopping at San Francisco, Seattle and Tacoma. Each of these ships will accommodate about 400 first-class passengers and several hundred second-class. They will make connections with railroads on the Pacific and with transportation boats in the region, while for the accommodation of passengers from abroad, arrangements will be made with the American Line, so that gold seekers from the other side may buy a through ticket from Southampton to Dawson City.

These vessels will arrive in Alaska at the opening of navigation on the Yukon, and will continue to give weekly service between the Pacific ports and the Klondyke. Each vessel will carry 2,000 tons of freight.

J. H. Hoadley, of New York, is first vice-president of the new company, which has offices in New York, Philadelphia and Chicago, and is about opening others in San Francisco, Seattle and Tacoma.

Victoria, B. C., Nov. 4.—From one of the members of Hon. Mr. Sifton's party it is learned that the Minister will recommend to the government the modification of the Yukon mining regulations as to the collection of royalty to the extent that such amount of the output as is required to work claims will be exempt, also that the government will reserve claims in blocks of ten, and that the size of the claims will be increased to 150 feet.

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If you want to quit tobacco using easily and forever, be made well, strong, magnetic, full of new life and vigor, take No-To-Tobacco, the wonder worker that makes weak men strong. Many gain ten pounds in ten days. Over 40,000 cured. Buy No-To-Tobacco of your druggist under guarantee to cure, 50 cents or \$1. Booklet and sample mailed. Free Ad. Sterling Remedy Co. Chicago or New York.

The Three Friends.

Havana, via Key West, Nov. 5. There is great excitement among the Spaniards in Havana, who desire to attack and destroy the tug Three Friends, known as a filibustering vessel, and which is now in this port. Gen. Blanco is said to have taken strict measures to prevent disorders.

The Three Friends came to Havana towing a schooner loaded with meat. Her business in Cuban waters is perfectly legitimate.

Another important battle has been fought near the Pan of Matanzas, in which the insurgents under Gen. Botancourt scattered a Spanish column under Gen. Molina. The Spanish lost over 100 men.

La Guasima, a town within sight of Havana, has been attacked and plundered by the insurgents.

Just try a 10c box of Cascarets, the finest liver and bowel regulator ever made.

New York's next French ball will doubtless be a corker.

When bilious or constive, eat a cascared candy cathartic, cure guaranteed. 10c, 25cents.

The Citizens' Union managers suspect there was fraud in connection with the New York election. A fraudulent brand of reform had considerable to do with it.

GORMAN'S DEFEAT IS SURE.

The Republicans Have Complete Control of Maryland's Legislature—Candidates Looming Up.

Baltimore, Nov. 5.—The Republicans will have complete control of the Legislature. The official canvass in Carroll, Talbot, Prince George's and Calvert counties has resulted in gains sufficient to give the Republicans the organization of the House, and, unless contests threatened by the Democrats in several districts should result in their favor, which does not seem probable, the House will stand: Republicans, 49; Democrats, 42. The Senate has eighteen Republicans and eight Democrats. On joint ballot the General Assembly will stand; Republicans, 67. Democrats, 50. This gives the Republicans a majority of seventeen on joint ballot.

The Democratic committee had great hopes that the revised returns from Carroll and Talbot counties would give the Democrats control of the House by one or two majority, but the official canvass completed in both counties this evening shows that the Democrats have elected three members of the House in Carroll and that Benjamin F. Crouse, a Democratic leader in that section, whose election had been conceded by the Republicans earlier, has been defeated by Alpheus Stansbury, Republican. In Talbot county Ex-State Comptroller J. Frank Turner, one of the chief lieutenants of the Gorman forces on the Eastern Shore, is defeated for State Senator by Henry Clay Dobson, Republican, by nineteen plurality. The three Republican candidates for the House in this county also win by pluralities ranging from sixteen to twenty-three. Prince George's county, Rollins, Republican, is elected by four plurality. This vote will no doubt be contested by the Democrats. The Republicans do not think the Democrats will carry out their threats of contests, as the Republican majority on joint ballot is now too large for a change of two or three votes to effect the election of a United States Senator.

Candidates for the Senatorship are already numerous. Governor Lowndes and Congressman Mudd have announced themselves, and Congressman Barber, of the Eastern Shore, and Congressman McIntyre, of Baltimore city, are also in the field. Postmaster General Gary, it is said, would like to exchange his position in the Cabinet for a seat in the Senate, and his friends will no doubt urge his election on the ground that being the oldest leader of the party in Maryland he is entitled to the honor. Nearly all the Eastern Shore candidates who figured in the fight against Wellington for the Senatorship two years ago will again loom up. It looks like it would be Gary against the field, and if Congressman Mudd cannot make it for himself he will no doubt throw his strength to Gary, as he did to Wellington.

That is the way all druggists sell GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC for Chills and all forms of fever—Malaria. It is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. Children love it. Adults prefer it to bitter nauseating tonics. Price 50c J. H. Hill & Son, Goldsboro, N. C.

Visible Supply of Cotton.

New Orleans, November 5.—Secretary Hester's statement of the world's visible supply of cotton shows an increase during the week just closed of 241,226 bales, against an increase for the same time last year, 173,257, and an increase year before last of 100,626.

The total visible is 2,725,587 bales, against 2,484,361 last week and 3,225,211 last year. Of this the total of American cotton is 2,540,587, against 2,299,361 last week and 2,926,114 last year, and all other kinds 185,000, against 300,100 last year.

HOW TO FIND OUT.

Fill a bottle or common glass with urine and let it stand twenty-four hours; a sediment or settling indicates an unhealthy condition of the kidneys. When urine stands thin it is positive evidence of kidney trouble. Too frequently desire a urinate or pain in the back, is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

WHAT TO DO.

There is comfort in the knowledge so often expressed, that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy, cures every ailment in relieving pain in the back, rheumy, liver, bladder, and every part of the urinary passages. It corrects inability to hold urine and swelling of the bladder, and gets up many times during the night to urinate. The mild and extraordinary effects of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the best for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. If you need a medicine you should have Kilmer's. Sold by druggists, price fifty cents and one dollar. You may have a sample bottle and pamphlet both sent free by mail. Mention The Daily Argus and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The proprietors of this paper guarantee the genuineness of this offer.

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Blind-fold.

A woman has no right to "go blind" in matters of life and health. She has no right to shut her eyes to the plain facts of her physical being and the consequences of neglect. She has no right to be wretched and ill when she might be happy and free from pain.

Women who drag through life weighed down by some torturing, dragging weakness or disease of their sex are not doing their duty to themselves. They are not taking the means which enlightened science affords them of being well and strong and capable.

These special complaints from which so many women suffer are not necessary. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription positively cures even the most severe and obstinate cases. It is not a haphazard medicine. It is not a "cure-all" but a scientific remedy devised by an educated and experienced specialist for the one purpose of curing the "special diseases of women."

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"I have taken both your 'Golden Medical Discovery' and 'Favorite Prescription' for chronic inflammation of the uterus and bladder," writes Mrs. M. A. Scott, of Park Rapids, Hubbard Co., Minn. "I had almost given up, but was terribly distressed. I have been cured of all. I had suffered untold misery for four years in vain taking your treatment, but began to feel better when I took your 'Golden Medical Discovery.'"

Dr. Pierce's thousand-page illustrated book, "The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser," is a scientific treatise on all the most important diseases of men, women and children. It is a valuable book, and one that every family should have. A paper-bound copy will be sent absolutely free of charge, if you send one-cent stamps to pay the cost of mailing only. Address World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y. For a handsome cloth-bound copy send 21 stamps.

The Ex-Minister on Cuba.

An article upon the Cuban question contributed to the North American Review by Mr. Hannis Taylor, lately United States Minister to Spain, has raised a question how soon a diplomatic officer on his return to private life, is relieved from diplomatic obligations. Mr. Taylor's article is written in an entirely friendly and respectful spirit, but he speaks of the Spanish institutions and politics, and he unhesitatingly declares, and gives his reasons, that Spain is "powerless either to conciliate Cuba or to conquer it," and that the United States cannot escape the duties presented by this situation.

While Mr. Taylor says nothing that an American citizen is not at liberty to say as a much less than many Americans in official life have said already, such a publication would be grossly improper from an officer in the diplomatic service, even if no longer serving in Spain. And since the diplomatic intercourse of nearly all nations but our own is carried on by permanent officials, it is difficult for the Spanish to understand that Mr. Taylor, who was so lately known to them as a Minister Plenipotentiary, is now writing as an irresponsible private person.

The friction that has thus been caused, while it may do no particular harm, has added an unnecessary embarrassment to a situation already sufficiently difficult, and has very likely complicated the relations of Mr. Taylor's successor. We think that Mr. Taylor should have remembered the usual customs of the diplomatic service and the liability to misunderstanding in such a case as his, and that it would have been well for him to pause a few weeks before rushing into print. Nevertheless, we have no doubt at all that what he says of Spain and Cuba is the truth.

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QUARANTINE RAISED.

Little Change in Fever Situation at New Orleans.

New Orleans Nov. 5.—The yellow fever situation has not improved any since yesterday, and the unfavorable turn of affairs following in the wake of the cold wave and the light frost is very disappointing to Dr. Olliphant, President of the Board of Health. He reiterates, however that the effects of the cold snap will become apparent in a few days. The record shows that the number of fatalities is greater than that of yesterday, and there is no let up in the new cases.

The Board of Health reports: Cases of yellow fever to-day, 40; deaths to-day, 7; total cases of yellow fever to date, 1,675; total deaths from yellow fever to date, 213; total cases absolutely recovered, 837; total cases under treatment, 625.

In the absence of a regular meeting, Dr. Olliphant, President of the Louisiana State Board of Health, to-night promulgated the following order, the same to take effect immediately: "Quarantine against all points is raised, except that passengers from Mobile, Montgomery, and coast points coming to New Orleans will be required to have certificates from health officers or reputable physicians, that for ten days past there has been no yellow fever in the locality they come from."

Birmingham, Ala., Nov. 5.—Birmingham has had several heavy frosts, and to day the Mayor raised the quarantine against all yellow fever infected points. The Governor also issued a proclamation raising State quarantine, applicable to all points north of Calera, a town just north of Montgomery. The railroads have, in consequence, resumed their regular schedules.



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Ayer's Cathartic Pills.

Earthquake Shakes Idaho. Pocatello, Idaho, Nov. 5.—A severe shock of earthquake at 2:30 this morning was felt the entire distance from Silver Bow to Monina, Mont., and at 7 o'clock the second shock was perceptible, but not so severe. At Divide, Red Rock, Lima, and Monida, windows rattled, dishes fell to the floor, flower-pots were thrown from their stands, lamp chimneys and other glassware suffered destruction, clocks stopped, and buildings were made to sway and crack. At Dillon especially was the first shock severe. The court house walls were cracked and the plaster fell from the ceiling.

Helena, Mont., Nov. 5.—At 2:05 o'clock this morning a slight earthquake shock was felt here, rocking buildings. It was of seven seconds duration, but as yet no damage is known to have been caused by it.

John Lyon, one of the assistant Attorney Generals of the Department of the Interior, died at his home in Washington, D. C. yesterday. Mr. Lyon was born at Petersburg, Va., 70 years ago.

The President has appointed the following to be consuls of the United States: Abraham B. Jones, of Alabama, at Tuxpan, Mexico; Daniel Mayer, of West Virginia, at Buenos Ayres, Argentine Republic; E. Theophilus Liefeld, of Connecticut, at Freiburg, Baden.

The Mecca for Cape Wants.

The season for outer garments is fairly on.

It is too late to begin to think about purchasing, it is high time to get what you need and that at once. Our stock is complete. It will not long remain so with the daily demands made on it. It is to your advantage not to delay.

We give this time accurate cuts of four of our most stylish capes. We have not many of the capes, and these few are priced for a short stay. The cuts are reproductions from photographs and the descriptions are literally true.

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This cut shows a marvel of a Plush Cape, 18 inches long, beautifully trimmed in Braid and Jet. Flare Collar, edged with fur, also edged with fur in front. This cape is a gem, \$5.00.

No. 412 is the biggest bargain ever offered in capes. It is made of good quality Plush, 18 inches long, full sweep, fancy or plain lining. Trimmed with Jet and Braid and edged with Fur. Exactly like cut. It's a wonder, at \$3.00.

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